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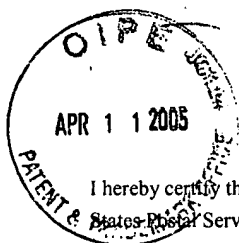
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:

TONY REID

Application No.: 10/725,837

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For: **MULTIPLE SLEEVE METHOD  
AND APPARATUS FOR  
TREATING EDEMA AND  
OTHER SWELLING  
DISORDERS**

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In response to the Final Office Action mailed January 5, 2005, please enter the following amendments and remarks:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.